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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1904. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

TRUTH AND LIBERTY.

CARNEGIE NEVER

SIGNED THE NOTES

Has No Notes Out and Has Not Issued One for Many Years, He Says,

MRS. CHADWICK TO HAVE BAIL.

Bonds Are Fixed at Fifteen Thousand Dollars, Her Attorney Searching For Bondsmen.

HEARING POSTPONED TILL DEC. 17

Remained at Hotel All Night-Went To Federal Building Early Where Arraignment Took Place.

Cleveland, Dec. 8 .- County Prosecutor Keeler today received the following telegram from Andrew Carnegie, at New York, in reply to an inquiry as to the genuineness of the Chadwick notes:

"Never signed such notes; have no notes out now; have not issued a note for many years. Hope you can arrange to have any necessary affidavits executed here.

"ANDREW CARNEGIE."

County Prosecutor Keeler is uncertain as to his jurisdiction in the case because he does not know whether the notes in question were signed in this county, in Lorain county, Ohio, or in New York. In order to determine this question the prosecutor has caused subpoenas to be issued to President Beckwith and Cashier Spear, of the closed Citizens' National bank of Oberlin calling upon them to appear before the grand jury in Cleveland tomorrow to testify as to where the notes were actually signed.

MRS. CHADWICK'S BAIL,

New York, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Chadwick was held in \$15,000 ball. It was not ready and she remained in the marshal's office while her attorney searched for a bondsman. The hearing was postponed until Dec. 17.

Mrs. Chadwick, who had been perduring the night, arose early today and told the United States marshal she was ready to accompany him. She said that dhough she had been restless she felt somewhat better than last night when the shock of her arrest had almost prostrated her and she saw no reason to delay the detectives further. A carriage was called and the party started shortly before 9 o'clock for the federal building where the arraignment was to take place.

WHERE INTEREST CENTERS.

Today practically all interest in the tase was centered in conjecture as to what the future will reveal. Men who profess to have an intimate knowledge of the affairs of the woman have hinted that only a suggestion of the rea case has yet become public. One man is credited with the statement that time will show this to be the most stupendous and far-reaching case of its kind in many years. Already the country has been startled by the disclosures that have followed one after another in quick succession since Mrs. Chadwick's affairs were brought before the public in less than two weeks. Since that time Mrs. Chadwick's known indebtedness has grown from less than \$200,000 to more than \$1,000,000 and her counsel has said that the claims against her may amount to \$20,000,000 for all he knows. The validity of some of the claims however, said the attorney, was another matter. In the same period at least two banks have taken ficial cognizance of the case and the federal officers have taken it themselves to investigate the validity of notes aggregating more than \$1,000, 66 which bear the name of Andrew Carnegie.

THE IRON MASTER.

Mr. Carnegie, the iron master, has stated that he never signed any notes; that he never has had any dealings with Mrs. Chadwick, to whom the notes in question were made payable and that he will be perfectly willing to communicate the same information to any official with proper authority, who cares to call upon him. This op portunity has now been given him, and the communication of cuting Atty. Keeler of Cleveland which was sent last night, was awaited considerable interest. Resler's message not only asks Mr Carnegle if he signed the three notes, one of which calls for \$250,000, and the other two for \$500,000 each, but if he will go to Ohio, if necessary, to testify that he did not. The dispatch con-cludes: 'Please wire reply as soon as possible, as grand jury action hinges on your attitude."

THE STRANGEST FEATURE.

The strangest feature of the mystery has been the use of the name of Mr. Carnegie. What reason was offered to explain why Mr. Carnegle, who has an lacome of more than \$10,000,000 a year from United States Steel bonds alone, hould be giving notes, has not been brought out.

Probably not in the history of the United States has there been at thing similar in unusual circumstances and magnitude to the Chadwick borrowings. It is known by the statement of President Beckwith, of the falled Citizens' National bank of Oberlin, O., that notes for at least \$1,500,000, endorsed by Mrs. Chadwick, are outstanding; the se-curities said to be held by Ira Reynolds of Cleveland figure to the extent of \$5,000,000; Herbert D. Newton of Boston has claims for \$190,800, and today it was asserted by those conversant with the strange case that a number of banks not yet mentioned in publi had made large loans to Mrs. Chad-

Mrs. Chadwick's son, Emil, this morning sent a cablegram to Paris. He would not disclose the name of the perto whom the message was ad-

A few minutes before 9 o'clock Mrs. Chadwick came down from her apartmeats and prepared for the journey to the federal building. She appeared to be very weak and leaned heavily on the arm of the United States marshal. Be-fore leaving the hotel she was compelled

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Story of the two cities told in pictures and paragraph

CHRISTMAS

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to sit on a couch in the hall and rest for a time.

SAYS SHE IS MALIGNED.

On the way from the hotel to the fed. marshal who had her in charge: "The time will come when these people will see that I am a very much maligned and persecuted woman. When I think of what I have gone through in the past few weeks, I wonder that I am not insane. Everybody has jumped on me, but I will come out of this all right and when I do I will issue a statemen. to the public that will show how innocent I have been.'

Chadwick later thanked the marshal again for his courtesy to her and especially for not putting her under arrest before, as she said, her lawyers had told her he could have

HER GOOD FRIEND. "Who was that man to whom I spoke sharply in the hotel corridor when he interfered with me?" asked Marshal

Henkel. That was Mr. Kline," said Mrs Chadwick. He is a good friend of mine from Cleveland. He did not mean anything by what he said; he thought

he was doing his duty by me."

Mrs. Chadwick wore a brown rain coat, full length, with a large brown hat and a heavy veil of the same color. Shortly after Mrs. Chadwick arrived at the federal building Atty. Carpen-ter of the woman's counsel was in consultation with United States Commis-sioner Shields. At Mr. Carpenter's so-licitation the time for the arraignment of Mrs. Chadwick before the commis-sioner was delayed and he left the building to find ball. In the meantime Mrs. Chadwick with her sons and maid were seated in the marshal's office. Outside in the corridor were many reporters and photographers. An attempt was made to interview Mrs. Chadwick, but she would not see a newspaper man or anyone else outside of her attorneys

and the government officials.

During the delay consequent upon
Mr. Carpenter's search for a bondsman more cameras were set up in the Unit-ed States courtroom where the proceedings were to be held. Newspaperm swarmed over the chairs within the

As Mrs. Chadwick came into the coridor to return to the United States marshal's office after her arraignmen the battery of cameras which had been set up outside the courtroom door were turned upon her. The sudden flash of the powder so startled Mrs. Chadwick that she fainted and sank to her knee on the corridor floor. She was saved from falling by Marshal Henkel and her son Emil, who supported her as she continued down through the long line of curious onlookers who had crow corridors between the courtroon and the marshal's office.

GRAND JURY TAKES UP CASE. Elyria, O., Dec. 8 .- The grand jury

which began an investigation into the Charlwick case here today consists of one capitalist, four bankers and seven merchants and professional men. To the Associated Press corresponden County Prosecutor Stroup said today:

The purpose of the grand jury is to investigate and decide whether or no the Chadwick notes are forgeries. The jury may call Andrew Carnegie to Elyria before the investigation is fin-

When asked about Mr. Beckwith's testimony the prosecutor said:
"I cannot answer that, but it looks
very damaging to Mrs. Chadwick."

Judge Washburn's charge to the jury was vigorous in the extreme. The judge called attention to the statutes covering various offenses and called upon the members of the jury to labor diligently to discover if the laws had been violated. He did not mention specific crimes which are supposed to have been committed.

Twelve witnesses had been sum moned to appear before the jury. Of those all but three were present. The Lyon, of the Oberlin bank: C. J. Whitney, one of the directors, and Presiden Beckwith. Lyon and Whitney are oxpected to arrive from New York later in the day. President Beckwith is ill at his home at Oberlin. That an nouncement was made in response to

a telephone call by Sheriff Saulsbury. Prosecutor Stroup this afternoon sent York City for Iri Reynolds to ome to this city and appear before the

grand jury. first witness examined was L Whitney, a director of the closed Oberlin bank.

MAY GO TO THE TOMBS. Marshal Henkel has announced that if Mrs. Chadwick's counsel failed to se-

cure bail this afternoon she would be taken to the Tombs prison. MRS. CHADWICK'S SISTER.

San Francisco, Dec. 8.—A sister of in the jail if the order do Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick resides in this from Judge Burns today. city in an elegantly furnished flat on Geary street. Her name is Mrs. S. M York. In an interview published today she said:

"Mrs. Chadwick is my sister. were born and brought up in Canada Our birthplace was Appen, Ont., a lit-tle village near Lendon, Ont. There were five girls in the family of which I was the second. Mrs. Chadwick was the next to me. All the girls were married early. The present Mrs. Chadwick, in 1880, married a man named C. R. Hoover, and went to live in Cleveland Mr. Hoover died in 1887 and left her an estate worth in the neighborhood of \$50,000. Mrs. Hoover, during the next 10 years, lived on her money and incidentally traveled for a wholesale milli

nery establishment. 'At that time was Mrs. Hoover arrested for forgery and sentenced to a term in the Ohio penitentlary?" was,

"There was trouble. Heover got into difficulties and I would sooner not discuss that portion of the story. You know what I mean. I am not denying any of the reports that have been spread broadcast about her, nor am I endeavoring to hide any-thing. There was trouble. In 1897 she

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HEAVY GUNS ON 203-METER HILL

Japanese Mount Them, Causing a Deep Impression at the Russian War Office.

TO BE NO ATTEMPT TO RETAKE IT

Its Importance Evidenced by Gen. Stoessel's Desperate Effort to Recapture It.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 8, 2:30 a. m .- Foreign telegrams received here stating that the Japanese have succeeded in mountaing heavy guns on 203-Meter hill, are regarded as seriously significant, and have created a deep impression at the war office.

If the reports of the sinking of the Russian warships in the harbor of Port Arthur are confirmed it destroys the last hope of a sortie, and when the end comes nothing remains but to sink those that remain in deep water to prevent them from falling into the hands of the

The war office is unable to identify Akasaka hill. Evidently it is a Japa-The importance of 203-Meter hill to the garrison is evidenced by Gen. Stoes-sel's desperate efforts to recapture it.

ATTEMPT TO RETAKE CEASES. London, Dec. 7.-The Daily Tele-graph's correspondent in front of Port Arthur, cabling under date of Dec. 7. says that the Russians ceased their at-tempts to recapture 203-Meter hill on Dec. 6. In an uncompleted account of the fighting that preceded the capture the hill, the same correspondent applauds the magnificent defense the Russians made and the clever handling of

the defensive forces against the re-peated Japanese feints and enveloping ovements en masse. The report from Tientsin states that the Japanese shell fire at Port Arthur also sank the Russian battleship Penewiet, but no further news concerning the fortress has reached London.

The report that Emperor Nicholas has decreed the dispatch of a third squadron to the far east has no confirmation from any quarter. The Associated Press dispatches, representing that the ques-tion is merely under consideration, gives the latest reliable information on the situation.

In connection with the story from St. Petersburg of negotiations with Turkey for the purchases of Argentine and Chilean cruisers, a curious feature is the fact that the Ottoman embassy in London yesterday issued an official statement declaring that there was no foundation for rumors that Turkey was purchasing or intending to purchase Argentine men-of-war, "either for her own use or for the use of any other

A Fugitive from Justice.

San Francisco, Dec. 8 .- George E. Letcher, the San Jose capitalist who is vanted in Ohio to answer to the charge of arson, has been declared by the at-torney general of California, a fugitive from justice. By virtue of this opinion Gov. Pardee, by whom the matter was referred to Attorney General Webb, will issue papers of extradition to en-able the Ohio authorities to take Letcher back for trial.

SIX-DAY RACE.

Long, Hard Grind Begins to Tell on Contestants.

Tell on Contestants.

New York, Dec. 8.—That the long, hard grind in the six-day bicycle race was at last beginning to tell on the contestants was apparent today when it was announced that the Caldwell-Hooper team was out for good and that Keegan, the Lowell, Mass., man. was in such distress that he might be obliged to quit at any time. Indiscreet indulgence in ice cream and other good things during the night is said to have contributed to the troubles of Caldwell and Keegan.

At 11 o'clock the Vanderstuyft-Stoll, Root-Dorion teams had covered 1.421 miles and 6 laps; the Gougoltz-Breton, Doussuet-Mazan. Palmer-Agraz. Samuelson-Williams, Keegan-Logan and Turville-Mattling teams 1.421 5 laps; Krebs-Fogler and Downing-Limberg, 1.421 miles, 4 laps; the Sulkins-Rockowitz team 1.39 miles 3 laps.

Dodge Gives Up the Fight.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 8 .- A Post special rom Galveston says that Atty. Korhn of New York, who is here with Charles F. Dodge, stated in an interview that the party will go back to New York as soon as Judge Burns of the Southern Texas federal court makes the order, and he anticipates the order to-This is taken to indicate that Dodge has given up the fight and that the trip is to be made by boat from Galveston. Dodge was taken to Galveston from Houston last night by Deputy Marshal Swann, who had with him Deputy Chief John Hayward of this city, and the party was met at Galveston by Deputy Marshal Shu-mach. The two New York detectives were left at Houston, where they will await the action of Judge Burns. The Dodge party had an enjoyable evening and stayed at the hotel, though it as intimated by the deputy marshal that it might be necessary to confine him in the jail if the order does not come

Plans to Improve Pueblo.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 8 .- The News to-Plans to spend \$1,000,000 in improvements at Pueblo Tave been announced from the offices in Denver of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company. The money part of the \$8,000,000 appropriation under the recent reorganization scheme for extension of properties. The big both of which are incomplete, will be finished at once and the latest machinery for the manufacture of all sorts of merchant steel is to be installed. New open hearth furnaces are to be put in the rail mill and the Merchant mill. The company already has on hand con-tracts for the present output two years

Paraguavans Defeated. New York, Dec. 8.-The Argentine

minister at Asuncion, Paraguay, reports, according to a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres, Argentina, that the Paraguayan government forces have been again defeated by the revo-lutionists. He adds that arrangements married a very wealthy physician and surgeon, named Dr. L. S. Chadwick. She The government is said to be disposed to accept mediation,

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CHRISTMAS ISSUE.

FOUGHT ROBBER IN BURNING STORE

Thrilling Experience of Christopher Tripp With a Holdup at Murray Last Night.

THEY KICKED OVER THE STOVE.

The Building Was Reduced to Ashes And the Loss is Placed at \$10,000.

Christopher Tripp of Murray and a masked robber fought in his brother's store last night. In the fight a stove was overturned and the lights knocked out, and as the struggle continued flames from the overturned stove licked up the building in which they held each other in a life and death struggle, and only when the clothing and hair of both of them were scorched did Tripp release his hold on the robber, and crawl for safety. Meanwhile a brother, Samuel Tripp, had rushed outside and emptied both barrels of a shot gun into the air, to attract a crowd. As the men came flocking that way they saw the masked man flying through the darkness. Apparently he made good his escape, as nothing has been heard from him today. now in the hands of Sheriff Emery, with two deputies, is grounds looking for clues that will lead him to locate his man. Good descriptions have been furnished, and results are looked for from the search, unless the man headed out of the country

during the night. A peculiar incident of the fight is the fact that the first news of it was sent in by an operator of the Independent Telephone station at Murray, Miss Atwood. She saw the telephone light come on, and in asking for the number she received no response, but could hear the noise of the struggle, and the crackling of the flames. her to telephone parties in that vicinity that something was wrong at the Tripp

The loss from the fire which destroy ed not only the brick store in which the struggle occurred but two adjacent frame buildings, will amount to about

From the stories told by interested parties since the affair, it appears that the robber called early in the evening. sized up his proposition, and then re-tired to await a better opportunity to hold-up the store. About 8 o'clock in the evening George Tripp, owner of the store, was in charge, when a man not make a purchase but left with the statement that Tripp did not carry the brand he wanted. The man's appearance excited suspicion, and Tripp re-marked that "that man did not come for tobacco. There is something wrong

about him.' o'clock Christopher and At Samuel Tripp were tending to the store, while their brother George was at home. They were sitting near the stove with their backs to the door, when they were suddenly made aware of a third party in the room by the command, "Hands up!" spoken by someone directly behind them. turning, Christopher Tripp faced masked man, with a large pointed directly into his face, and less than an arm's length away. Instead of holding up his hands, Tripp grabbed for the fellow's arm and the revolver His grip was good, and the shot with which the robber met this attack went high, as his arm bent up, despite his resistance. Samuel Tripp, in rushing behind the counter for a shotgun, knocked over the lamp, and in the darkness he did not dare to fire for fear of killing his brother. He then rushed outside and fired both barrels. As he left the store the men struggling in the darkness on the floor kicked the stove, and spread its burning coals over the floor. As the flames leaped up the struggle became flercer, and Tripp tried desperately to hold his man till the heat overcame him. leased his grip, and crawled for the

When he reached the air he found men running to the place from all directions, having been called by the shots and the flames.

A bucket brigade was hastily organ-ized, and attempted to quell the flames, but they had gathered too much headway. First the brick store was destroyed, then a frame meat market on one side and a vacant building on the other, making a total loss of \$10,000, all of which was owned by the Tripp brothers. The insurance was light, and will not nearly cover the loss.

The affair happened near the High-land Boy smelter, out of the jurisdiction of Marshal Mauss. When he was acti-fied of the affair he promptly reported it to the sheriff's office, and Sheriff Emery, accompanied by Deputies Sharp and Steele, left at once for the scene of the occurrence. They hunted through the saloons and watched the outgoing cars for traces of the man, and this morning attempted to locate other clues, so far without success.

Deputy Syston Found Dead

Paris, Dec. 8 .- M. Sycton, the Nationalist deputy whose action in striking War Minister Andre in the champhyxiated by gas,

ARTHUR ANY TIME

Reason for His Delay is His Desire To Avoid Making a Great Sacrifice of Life.

IN FRONT OF DOOMED FORTRESS

Report of Commander of Naval Land Battery Shows Russian Warships In Bad Condition.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 8 .- Frederick Villiers, war artist at Port Arthur for the Illustrated London News, arrived here tonight on his way to London.

In an interview with the Associated Press correspondent, Mr. Villiers said that Gen. Nogl could take Port Arthur within 24 hours if he so wished, but that this is not done because of the sacrifice of life that would be necessary. Mr. Villiers was not surprised to learn of the sinking of the warships at Port Arthur and says that just before he left the new high angle fire mortars were getting the range of the moorings and it was said by the Japanese artillery officers that within a few days they would have the harbor cleared of war ships by sending them to the bottom.

Mr. Villiers says Japan's preparations to receive the Baltic squadron ar extraordinarily vigorous and thorough IN FRONT OF DOOMED FORTRESS,

Tokio, Dec. 8, 6 p. m.-The following report from the commander of the na-val land battery in front of Port Arthur was received at 2 o'clock this af-

"The battleship Pobedia s middle fun-nel is seriously damaged. The vessel is listing aft, and is submerged to the stern walk The battleship Peresviet's upper

deck is submerged.
"The battleship Retvizan is listing to starboard and her upper deck is nearly submerged.' The protected cruiser Pailada, which is lying between the Retvizan and the mineship Amur cannot be dis-

tinctly seen, but there seems to be a slight sinking astern. The actual extent of the damage sustained by her is not yet known.
"The armored cruiser Bayan is now burning to her fore-deck

"The battleshhip Sevastopol appears to be lying in the east harbor along-side the great crane, but only the tops of her masts are visible. A hill completely hides her hull.
"The principal aims taken by the naval and military guns today are at the Pallada, Byan and Sevastopoli'

Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army Before Port Arthur, via Fusan, Dec. 8.—The correspondent of the Associated Press visited 203-Mater alli, the scene of the awful six-days' fight which ended with its capture by the Japa-

VISITED METER HILL.

The advance works and the crest of the hill were covered with debris and the trenches were smashed and filled

In a single section of the trenches 100 yards long over 200 Russian dead or wounded were seen. They had been horribly mangled with dynamite gren-

BOMBARDING THE PALLADA. Tokio, Dec. 8 .- The commander of the naval land forces on 203-Meter hill before Port Arthur reporting at 2:30 p.

m. foday says: "At 12:30 today it became certain that the Peresviet has been sunk. She is in the same condition as the Poltava. The Pallada is beginning to list to port. are vigorously bombarding the

JAPAN ACCEPTS

Invitation to Second Peace Conference at the Hague.

Washington, Dec. 8 .- Japan has accepted washington, Dec. s.—Japan has accepted the American government's invitation to participate in a second peace conference at The Hague providing the rulings of the conference should not affect the present conflict. The Japanese reply was presented to Secy. Hay by Mr. Hioki, the Japanese charge d'affaires.

Sultan Wants Taxese.

New York, Dec. 8 .- Sidi Guebah, accompanied by Kald Alssa Bed Omara, besides enjoying high prestige with the sultan's court, exercises much influence upon the entire coast district is about to start from Fez, according to a Herald dispatch from Tangles, with a mission of imposing authority for collecting taxes due the government by the Kabyls of the coast.

detachment of troops now stationed at Robat will form his expeditionary force while the rest will be dstined to re-establish tranquility so long interrupted between the Akba-El-Hamra, Alcazar, Arzila and Tangier districts.

ARCHBP. AGUIA'S MISSION. He Goes to the Philippines to Promote Peace.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 8 .- At the Notre Dame university today the celebration of the golden jubilee of the Immaculate Conception was presided over by Archbishop Aguias, delegate apostolic to the Philippines. In addressing the students after pontifical high mass, the archbishop, who is on his way to see Secy. Taft in Washington, declared that his mission to the

ington, declared that his mission to the archipelago was "to restore peace, to assist the Filipinos in their legitimate aspirations, and to encourage them to be loyal to the present government." "When I came from the holy father," the delegate said. "I asked him, "What am I to do?" He answered, "Go and continue what you have been doing in Rome for the last 10 years. Devote yourself to the good of souls. Help them to be loyal to the present government. Go not as a politician but as an apostle."

THE PORTE YIELDS

To Austria's Demands Regarding Detention of Her Mails.

Constantinople, Dec. 8 .- The porte has yielded to the Austrian demands regarding the detention of Austrian muils, and the incident may be regarded as closed. Threatened complications have therefore been averted. The Ausber of deputies Nov. 4, led to the min-ister's resignation, was found dead sal of the director of customs, the seclate this afternoon, having been as-phyxiated by gas. retary-general of the villayet, and the chief of police of Scutari within three

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days, failing which Austria would ich and following the example of France on the occasion of the occupa-tion of the island of Mitylene would demand a settlement of all other pendng questions, including efficial recog nition of the schools under Austrian protection. The energetic attitude of Austria in ordering a squadron of warships to be made ready to sail induced the desired action on the part of Turkey with the result that the difficulty has been tided over.

SENATE DOINGS.

Crum Case Comes Up and Adjournment Soon Follows.

Washington, Dec. 8 .- In the senate today an attempt to secure the consideration of the pure food bill was prevented and the objections indicated that it will not pass,

The Crum case came up immediately afterward and forced the senate into executive session. Mr. Tillman (S. C.), asked for a report from the judiciary committee on his resolution regarding the recess appointment of frum as collector at Charleston. fore the discussion proceeded further the doors were closed, on motion of Mr. Aldrich.
At 12:45 the senate adjourned until

Monday.

BEEF TRUST CASE.

U. S. Supreme Court Passes it To an Unfixed Future Date.

Washington, Dec. 8.-The hearing by the supreme court of the United States in the case of Swift vs the United States, popularly known as "the beef turst," was today passed to an unfixed future date, at the request of the government. The case was on the government. The case was on the court's calendar for today and at the opening of the day's session Assistant Atty. Day appeared and moved that the case be passed under the twenty-sixth rule of the court, which rule provides that upon agreement by the case may be postponed and restored at a future time to be agreed upon. Mr. Day stated that the purpose of the mo-tion was to serve the convenience of the attorney-general, who desires to participate in the argument and who was not prepared at this time to pro-He added that counsel on the other side had consented to the post-

Under the arrangement the argument may be made at any time upon which counsel and the court agree

In explanation of his action in moving to pass the immediate hearing of the case Mr. Day made the following state-"It being doubtful whether this case

would be reached in time to conclude the argument before the usual recess next week, for the Christmas holidays t was deemed best to postpone the argument until the court convenes January 3 "This will avoid the danger of hav-

ing the argument interrupted by the adjournment for the holidays and it will all then be fresh in the minds of the judges when they go into confer ence to decide the case. As the court will adjourn next week they would not probably meet in conference until after the holidays and therefore nothing would be gained by its being heard just on the heels of adjournment.

Burnett Mine Victin Recovered.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 8 .- One more body, that of John Peura, was recovered. It is expected that four other bodies will be found before night. It is found that Andrew Matson is among the missing, making 16 in all. Ventilation has been established and is working satisfactorily, but it is not believed any of the men will be rescued alive Every effort is being made and a strong force of men is doing its utmost. Every effort is being made and a strong force of men is doing its ut-

State Mine Inspector Owen is on the ground assisting in the work. He says the mine was one of the best and safest in the state. Until the scene of the explosion is reached, which is about a mile under-ground, the officials will not venture to

most to effect a rescue.

express any opinion as to the cause of the explosion. Coroner Brown is on his way to Tacoma from Burnet, which is about 25 miles from this city. The coroner will have a revised list of the men who were killed in the disaster, some er-rors having been made in transmission

last night. Broker Suspends.

New York, Dec. 8,-W. A. Badeau, one of the officials of the Consolidated Stock exchange, has announced his suspension.

LABOR RECEPTION.

Welsh Member of Parliament a Guest Of Lecal Organization. Last night at the Federation hall the

Utah Federation of Labor gave a reception to the Hon. William Abraham, mamber of parliament from Wales, and James Wignall, a labor organizer of international reputation. Both men are in Salt Lake as guests of

local organizations, and are stopping over here in returning from the convention of the American Federation of Labor, recently concluded at San Francisco.

H. B. Cromar, president of the Utah Federation presided at the reception last night, which was attended by several hundred union men with their families, and by a great many of the local Welsh colony.

colony.

Tonight at the Tabernacie the Cambrian society will tender a public reception to the noted Welshmen, at which a splendid program will be rendered, and speeches will be made by the visitors on topics con-nected with labor problems in Great Britain and America.

The program was printed in full last night.

SAFE CRACKERS.

Greenborns Made a "Water Haul" At the Burton Coal Company's Office.

'PROS'' COT \$98 IN 5 MINUTES

Neat Trick Was Turned at W. F. Frank Produce Company Warehouse Last Night.

AMATEURS WRECKED THE PLACE

Burton's Safe Was Unlocked but They Blew it Into Scrap Iron Without Investigating.

Two gangs of safe crackers are at work in Salt Lake.

One is composed of greenhorns; the other of experts or "professionals." This much was demonstrated since

last midnight when two safes in this

city were blown open. From one the robbers got nothing. The safe was unlocked but they did not take the trouble to determine whether it was or not. From the other safe they secured \$98.15. Both caset were reported to the police shortly after 7 o'clock this morning and detectives are working on them.

ABSOLUTELY WRECKED.

The first cracking job reported occurred at the Burton Coal company office on Fifth South and Third West. The gates leading to the office building were pried open with a "jimmy" and entrance to the office was gained by breaking open a rear window. The robbers drilled a large hole down through the top of the safe, and with the use of a tin funnel they filled the hole with powder and touched it off. The report of the explosion was heard for some distance around and people residing in the neighborhood informed the police that it happened about 4 o'clock. No particular attention was paid to it, and residents in the neigh-borhood did not know what it was un-til the office was opened this morning o'clock, and the safe found a complete wreck. The door was blown to pieces and the safe absolute-

ly ruined.

SAFE WAS UNLOCKED. If the cracksmen had only taken the trouble to investigate they would have found the safe unlocked. There was no money in it and nothing else of value, so the robbers got nothing for their pains. No clues whatever were left be-

hind by the cracksmen.

While the officers were discussing the matter at police headquarters, the tele-phone bell rang, and word came from the W. F. Frank Produce company, 125 west First South, that their safe had been blown open and \$98.15 taken.

vestigation, and later the premises were examined by detectives. This job was done by "pros." They understood their business and knew it

thoroughly.

Sergt. Eddington at once made an in-

MADE A GOOD JOB OF IT. They first secured a punch, some chisels and a sledge hammer from a blacksmith shop. Next they pried open rear window, after first cutting the screen. Once inside, the back door was unbarred. The men then went to the front office, where the safe sets immediately next to the window and almost on the sidewalk. A dozen or so sacks and three sacks of apples were piled in front of the safe and on top of it to muffle the sound of the ex-With the sledge hanimer the combination dial was knocked off, and powder was inserted in the hole thus made. A fuse was attached and the hole plugged up with soap. The explosion was not heard by any one. locks in the combination were shattered and the door swung open. typewriter within three feet of the safe was not even scratched. The inside money box to the safe was then smashed open, and the contents taken. It is estimated by the police that the ob did not take five minutes. ools used by the cracksmen were found by Sergt. Eddington. There were the hammer, the soap, the chisels and the punch. The books and pepars were

DONE EALY THIS MORNING.

not touched. The thieves took cash

"Business was not very good yestersaid Mr. Frank this morning, and our receipts were not as large as usual. I intended taking the money to the bank, but was detained, and when I went to the bank I found I was just a few minutes late, turned the money to the safe, I rethe theater last night I came back here, and I am satisfied that the job was done after midnight."

From the work done on the two safes, the police are certain that there were two gangs operating here last night. The Burton job was done by men who did not understand the business, they say, while the job at Frank's place was the work of experts.

EVIDENCE OF REPEATING.

Both Parties Seem to Have Indulged in It in Denver. Denver, Dec. 8 .- Reports made to

the supreme court today by handwrit-ing experts who examined the ballots found in the box from precinct 6, of ward 5, disclosed evidences of repeating for both the Democratic and Republican tickets at the late election. Expert George H. King, employed by the Republicans reported that of the 317 ballots found in the box 60 with the Democratic heading had been written by 16 persons, one of whom had been written eight and another five. He said that 22 Republican ballots had been written by 10 individuals. Mr. King noted that the handwriting on some of the ballots was the same as on some ballots from precinct 9 cf ward 5, which he had previously examined. C. F. Reed, the Democratic expert, reported that he found that 53 Democratic ballots had been voted by 18 persons and 30 Republican ballots by 13 persons.